

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRA-S-3585-2023

Date of Decision: 07.12.2023

Krishna Devi

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Neeraj Goel, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Trishanjali Sharma, DAG, Haryana.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)

After arguing the matter for some time, when this Court was not inclined to grant the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in view of the bar contained under Section 3(i) (u) of Scheduled Caste and Schedule Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, a prayer was made by learned counsel for the petitioner for withdrawal of the instant petition.

2. Ordered accordingly.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has, however, submitted that the petitioner would appear and surrender, within a week from today and move an application for regular bail before the trial Court and he be protected till then as she is an 80 year old woman.

3. In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petition is disposed of with direction to the petitioner to appear and surrender before the trial Court on or before 12.12.2023, till then, no coercive steps shall be taken against the petitioner. The trial Court, on an

application under Section 439 Cr.P.C. being moved by the petitioner, shall decide it expeditiously in accordance with law, preferably within two days, as she is a 80 year old woman. However, it is made clear that in case the petitioner fails to surrender before the Court below within the above stipulated time, this order shall be of no avail to her, thereafter.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
(JUDGE)

07.12.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No